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CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 47, line 52 reads "Alk, which" should read --Alk, each of which--
Column 47, line 64 reads "is 0" should read --m is 0--
Column 47, line 65 reads "is 0" should read --n is 0--
Column 48, line 1 reads "heteroarsrl" should read --heteroaryl--
Column 49, line 19 reads "Ar, which" should read --Ar, each of which--
Column 49, line 29 reads "R5and R6are H" should read --R5 and R6 are H--
Column 49, line 37 reads "R8is" should read --R8 is--
Column 49, line 41 reads "R1is" should read --R1 is--
Column 49, line 50 reads "m is 0, and n is 2" should read --m is 0 or 1, and n is 2--
Column 49, line 51 reads "R1is" should read --R1 is--
Column 49, line 52 delete "--(CH₂)" at the end of line
Column 49, line 64 reads "R1is" should read --R1 is--
Column 50, line 1 reads "R1is" should read --R1 is--
Column 51, line 19 reads "ethyl 3-benzyloxybenzo[b]thiophene-2-carboxylate;" should read -- ethyl 3-benzyloxybenzo[b]thiophene-2-carboxylate; or--
Column 51, line 40 reads "Hal-R1" should read --Hal-R1 (V)--
Column 51, line 41 reads "R1-R6 are defined as" should read --R1-R6 and X are defined as--
Column 51, line 56 reads "defines in for" should read --defines for--
Column 52, line 9 reads "compositions" should read --composition--
Column 52, line 32 reads "-Alk-O-Alk," should read ---Alk-O-Alk, or--
Column 52, line 33 reads "-Alk-O-Alk-Ar," should read ---Alk-O-Alk-Ar, or--
Column 52, line 53 reads "and NO₂" should read --or NO₂--
Column 54, line 34 reads "processes" should read --process--
Column 54, line 52 delete --OHet.
Column 55, line 44. reads "--C(=0)--" should read ---C(=O)--

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**PETITION FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION
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Sir:

Applicants hereby request that the above-identified U.S. patent be corrected in accordance with the attached Certificate of Correction.

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II. C.F.R. § 1.323

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III. Accordingly, patentees and their assignee respectfully request that the Patent and Trademark Office issue a Certificate of Correction pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.322 or § 1.323, respectively.

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